

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An arrangement for a spinning preparation machine having machine sides, the arrangement comprising:

machine supports for supporting the machine; and

a machine casing arranged along the sides of the machine and including casing elements attached to the supports, the casing elements being arranged to open up or close off openings in the machine casing so that free access is given to at least one side region and one end region of the machine.

2. The arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the supports comprises at least one vertical supporting element.

3. The arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the machine supports comprise two vertical supporting elements.

4. The arrangement according to claim 3, wherein the machine has a machine frame, and the two vertical supporting elements are attached to the machine frame.

5. The arrangement according to claim 2, wherein the supports further include at least one horizontal holding element.

6. The arrangement according to claim 3, wherein the support further includes two horizontal holding elements.

7. The arrangement according to claim 6, wherein the two horizontal holding elements each have an end region attached respectively to the two vertical supporting elements.

8. The arrangement according to claim 2, wherein the at least one holding horizontal holding element is suspended from the at least one vertical supporting element.

9. The arrangement according to claim 5, wherein the at least one horizontal holding element comprises a two-arm lever.

10. The arrangement according to claim 5, wherein the at least one holding element comprises a single-arm lever.

11. The arrangement according to claim 5, further comprising at least one traction element having one end which engages in the at least one horizontal holding element and another end which engages in the at least one vertical supporting element.

12. The arrangement according to claim 11, wherein the at least one traction element is one of a rod, pipe and a rope.

13. The arrangement according to claim 2, forming a combination with a spinning preparation machine, wherein the at least one horizontal holding element is arranged in an upper region of the machine.

14. The arrangement according to claim 13, wherein the at least one horizontal holding element is arranged above the machine.

15. The arrangement according to claim 13, wherein the at least one traction element is arranged above the at least one horizontal holding element.

16. The arrangement according to claim 2, forming a combination with a spinning preparation machine, wherein the at least one vertical supporting element is arranged in one of an intake area and a discharge area of the machine.

17. The arrangement according to claim 2, wherein the at least one vertical supporting element comprises one of a pipe, a profile, and a support.

18. The arrangement according to the claim 5, further comprising at least one additional horizontal holding element attached to the at least one vertical supporting element.

19. The arrangement according to claim 18, forming a combination with a spinning preparation machine comprising a card having a chute, and wherein the at least one additional horizontal holding element carries a chute feed for the card.

20. The arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the casing elements are doors.

21. The arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the casing elements are flaps.

22. The arrangement according to claim 5, wherein the casing elements are attached to at least one of the horizontal holding elements and the vertical supporting elements.

23. The arrangement according to claim 22, wherein the casing elements are arranged to be at least one of rotatable and pivotable.

24. The arrangement according to claim 22, wherein the casing elements can be displaceable in a horizontal direction.

25. The arrangement according to claim 24, further comprising rails attached to the at least one horizontal holding element.

26. The arrangement according to claim 1 forming a combination with a spinning preparation machine frame, wherein the casing elements comprise doors and further

including a fulcrum located in at least one of a lower region and an upper region of the machine frame about which the doors are pivotable.

27. The arrangement according to claim 1, further comprising spring loaded latch bolts for mounting the casing elements.

28. The arrangement according to claim 23, wherein the casing elements are rotatable or pivotable around at least one of a horizontal and vertical axis.